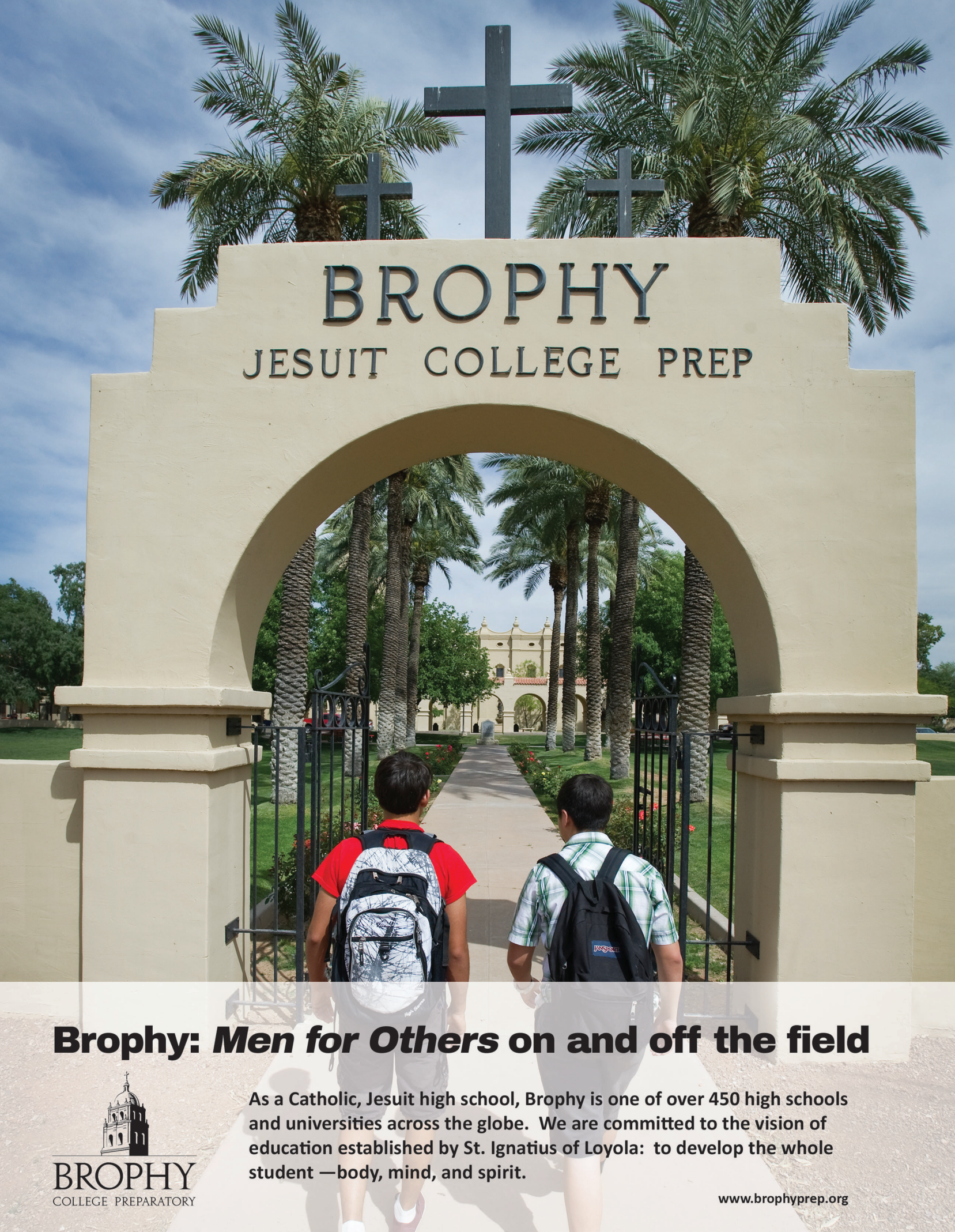


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The first high school robotics season in Arizona will start during the spring season and teams will compete in regional events run by FIRST, a non-profit organization that organizes robotic events internationally. The top 30 teams from the regionals will then advance to the May 23 state tournament at the Prescott Valley Events Center.

There are currently 49 high schools that have robotics teams in Arizona. The AIA's goal is to double that number of teams by May 2016. If you are interested in supporting the AIA robotics program and state tournament as a corporate partner, please contact AIA Sports Properties at 602-385-3828 or facosta@aia365.com.



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Mesa Mountain View senior twins Kieffer and Weston Taylor were hanging out recently prior to practice and anticipating the final meets of the season -- sectionals and state. They are eager to see if they and their teammates can come away with a second consecutive team wrestling title.

The Toros are a heavy favorite to do just that at the Division I state wrestling meet Friday Feb. 13 and Saturday Feb. 14 at Prescott Valley Events Center. But the Taylor twins are also looking for a little self gratification. To use a baseball term -- twin killing -- in the figurative sense, of course. Their twin killing would be taking home individual titles. Neither has done that in three previous tries in two states.

"I've been second two years in a row and that sucks," Kieffer Taylor said. "I want the win this time."

Kieffer Taylor, the Toros' 170-pounder, has placed in three of three state meets. He and Weston wrestled at Maple Mountain High (Spanish Fork, Utah) their freshman and sophomore seasons. Kieffer was third in Utah in 2012 and runner-up there in 2013. The family relocated to Arizona prior to the 2014 season, settling in at Mountain View. Last year Kieffer placed second again to Basha's two-time state champ Trey Ronayne.

Weston Taylor, Mountain View's 160-pounder, has placed twice in state meets in three seasons. His first placement was in 2013 (fourth in Utah). Last year at Mountain View he was runner-up to a two-time champ, Corona del Sol's Ethan Tursini.

"There is nothing possible to keep state from us," Weston said of he and his brother's title quest. "That's my mindset."

Mountain View coach Bob Callison likes their chances of going out on top. They have different personalities, but those have translated to an abundance of wins on the mat.

"Weston's more quiet and reserved," Callison said. "Kieffer isn't afraid to let you know what he's thinking. He'll let it fly. They'll have to work for their titles, but you have to like their chances."

One of Weston's losses this season was to Westwood's Austin Moyer, who entered sectionals unbeaten. Weston avenged that loss in the section final Feb. 7 at Skyline High, pinning Moyer. Kieffer prevailed via pin as well, topping Dobson's Zachary Gutierrez.

The Taylor twins high school careers have paralleled each other's very nearly to a tee when you add up their successes year round in the sport. But then what would one expect from identical twins?

D-I SEEDS (TOP 4) ... 106-pounds -- 1. Roman Bravo-Young (SS); 2. Ray Ramirez (RM); 3. Diego Murrietta (Cent); 4. Luke Jacobs (BCP). 113 -- 1. Danny Vega (IRWR); 2. Keenan Woodburn (BCP); 3. Rocky Ciminera (Mill); 4. Steven Santos (RM). 120 -- 1. Paden Mason (MTV); 2. Bryce Saylor (Cent); 3. Angel Laguna (SS); 4. Valentin Hernandez (BCP). 126 -- 1. Brandon Vela, (WC); 2. Branson Tibbs (BC); 3. Alfredo Calzadillas (IRWR); 4. Ryan Farina (CDS). 132 -- 1. Juakin Olivas (SS); 2. Cory Crooks (BC); 3. Jerod Booth (MTV); 4. Patrick Cross (VV). 138 -- 1. Marc Farina (CDS); 2. Joel Rico (CHAN); 3. Taylor Rich (SDO); 4. Aiden Diggs (Mill). 145 - 1. Taber Spray (BC); 2. Anthony Wokasch (MTV); 3. Jeremy Benson (IRWR); 4. Ulises Palomino (Cent). 152 - 1. Blake Monty (MTV); 2. Quintin Shadle (TRB); 3. Ryan Fischer (MTR); 4. Derek Tangap (SS). 160 - 1. Harold Johnson (CCH); 2. Weston Taylor (MTV); 3. Marcos Frias (SS); 4. Nathan Suwyn (MTR). 170 -- 1.



Weston Taylor



Kieffer Taylor

Kieffer Taylor (MTV); 2. Jacob Vastine (Mill); 3. Sebastian Mordeca (SS); 4. Kile Pendergraft (BC). 182 -- 1. Allen Jones (Mesa); 2. Chris Davis (SDO); 3. Jesse Villegas (SS); 4. Anthony Baca (Cent). 195 - 1. Jeremiah Imonode (DV); 2. Jarom Christensen (SDO); 3. Kiefer Sites (VV); 4. Phoenix Hollen (MTV). 220 -- 1. Travis Howard (Marana); 2. Lewis Arendall (Cent); 3. Austin Scoggin (RM); 4. Chase Boisseau (Chap). 285 - 1. Esequiel Valles (RM); 2. William Cawood (Perry); 3. Matthew Hutka (MTR); 4. Justin Moore (VV).

Abbreviations -- Boulder Creek (BC); Brophy (BCP); Centennial (Cent); Cesar Chavez (CCH); Chandler (Chan); Chaparral (Chap); Corona del Sol (CDS); Desert Vista (DV); Ironwood Ridge (IRWR); Millennium (Mill); Mountain Ridge (MTR); Mesa Mountain View (MVT); Red Mountain (RM); Sandra Day O'Connor (SDO); Sunnyside (SS); Trevor Browne (TRB); Valley Vista (VV); Willow Canyon (WC).

D-I TOURNAMENT NOTES: Defending team champion is Mesa Mountain View. The rest of last year's top five in the team standings were Sunnyside, Boulder Creek, Corona del Sol and Ironwood Ridge. This year's section champs are Sunnyside, Mountain Ridge, Centennial and Mesa Mountain View. Centennial brings the most qualifiers (14), followed by Mesa Mountain View (12) and Sunnyside, Mountain Ridge and Sandra Day O'Connor with 10 each. Teams qualifying the most section champs are Mountain View and Sunnyside with seven each, Centennial with five and Boulder Creek with four. There are four defending individual champions. They are Ironwood Ridge's Danny Vega, Sunnyside's Juakin Olivas, Mountain View's Blake Monty and Centennial's Lewis Arendall. Vega won at 106 last year, Olivas won at 120, Monty at 145 and Arendall at 220. Olivas is a two-time champ. Four wrestlers enter state competition unbeaten for the season. They are Sunnyside's Roman Bravo-Young 39-0 (106); Ironwood Ridge's Vega 30-0 (113); Desert Vista's Jeremiah Imonode 36-0 (195) and Marana's Travis Howard 44-0 (220). Eleven wrestlers who won titles at the prestigious Flowing Wells invitational in mid-January are competing for D-I titles -- Bravo-Young, Vega, Mesa Mountain View's Paden Mason (MTV); Olivas; Corona del Sol's Marc Farina; Mesa Mountain View's Anthony Wokasch, Monty, Weston Taylor, Kieffer Taylor, Imonode and Howard.



Wrestling Team Champions (2004-14)

DIVISION IV

Year	Champion (Pts)	Winning Coach	Runnerup (Pts)	Third Place (Pts)
2014	Camp Verde (229.5)	Tracy Tudor	St. Johns (219)	Benson (182)
2013	Camp Verde (243.5)	Bob Weir	St. Johns (195.5)	Morenci (164.5)
2012	St. Johns (236)	Brandon Crosby	Camp Verde (169)	Morenci (165.5)
2011	Heber Mogollon (177)	Rocky Nelson	Morenci (147.5)	Camp Verde (118.5)

DIVISION III

2014	Holbrook (195.5)	John Bokker	Tucson Amphitheater (173.5)	Tempe (153)
2013	Phoenix Thunderbird (132.5)	Steve Linsacum	Rio Rico (91)	Coconino (88.5)
2012	Phoenix Thunderbird (121)	Steve Linsacum	Cottonwood Mingus (105)	Amphi & Blue Ridge (103)
2011	Phoenix Thunderbird (158.5)	Steve Linsacum	Cottonwood Mingus (157.5)	Rio Rico (127)

DIVISION II

2014	Yuma Cibola (169)	Mike Jankowski	Vail Cienega (100.5)	Marana Mt. View (100.5)
2013	Oro Valley Ironwood Ridge (216.5)	Tim Berrier	Yuma Gila Ridge (128)	Prescott (85)
2012	Oro Valley Ironwood Ridge (204.5)	Tim Berrier	Yuma Gila Ridge (150)	Tempe MDN (139.5)
2011	Oro Valley Ironwood Ridge (141.5)	Tim Berrier	Tempe Marcos de Niza (116)	Phoenix Moon Valley (101)

DIVISION I

2014	Mesa Mt. View (197)	Bob Callison	Tucson Sunnyside (142)	Anthem Boulder Creek (127)
2013	Tucson Sunnyside (151.5)	Anthony Leon	Chandler (132)	Tempe Corona del Sol (127)
2012	Chandler (122)	Vidal Mejia	Yuma Cibola (120.5)	Tempe Desert Vista (114)
2011	Tucson Sunnyside (124.5)	Bobby DeBerry	Gilbert Highland (114)	Tempe Desert Vista (102)

1A/2A CONFERENCES

2010	Joseph City (215.5)	Aaron Westover	St. Johns (143)	Morenci (136.5)
2009	St. Johns (193)	Brandon Crosby	Camp Verde (165)	Benson (160.5)
2008	Camp Verde (181.5)	Bob Weir	Benson (141.5)	Thatcher (134)
2007	Camp Verde (273)	Bob Weir	Benson (116)	Morenci (114.5)
2006	Camp Verde (177.5)	Bob Weir	(TIE) Maricopa (154)	Willcox (154)
2005	Morenci (232)	Gilbert Padilla	Maricopa (165.5)	Thatcher (161.5)
2004	San Manuel (229)	Manny Yubeta	Maricopa (217)	Morenci (208)

3A CONFERENCE

2010	Safford (267)	Herman Andrews Jr.	Payson (152.5)	Snowflake (144)
2009	Safford (40-25)	Herman Andrews Jr.	Holbrook	John Bokker
2008	Safford (225.5)	Herman Andrews Jr.	Lakeside Blue Ridge (170.5)	Winslow (156.5)
2007	Safford (241.5)	Herman Andrews Jr.	Sahuarita (154.5)	Payson (145.5)
2006	Safford (227.5)	Herman Andrews Jr.	Payson (164.5)	Show Low (147)
2005	Safford (216)	Herman Andrews Jr.	Camp Verde (208)	Show Low (127)
2004	Camp Verde (187)	Bob Weir	Safford (159)	Show Low (146)

4A CONFERENCE

2010 4A-1	Phoenix Moon Valley (49-28)	Bryan Smith	Queen Creek	Tod Workman
2010 4A-2	Cottonwood Mingus (47-16)	Tom Wokasch	Phoenix Thunderbird	Steve Linsacum
2009 4A-1	Vail Cienega (37-15)	Marty Niblo	Phoenix Thunderbird	Steve Linsacum
2009 4A-2	Cottonwood Mingus (43-21)	Tom Wokasch	Phoenix Moon Valley	Bryan Smith
2008 4A-1	Tucson Pueblo (152)	Steve Lopez	Phoenix Thunderbird (146)	SD O'Connor (117)
2008 4A-2	Cottonwood Mingus (243.5)	Tom Wokasch	Phoenix Moon Valley (163.5)	Queen Creek (110)
2007 4A-1	Phoenix Thunderbird (174.5)	Steve Linsacum	Glendale Independence (121)	Prescott (119)
2007 4A-2	Cottonwood Mingus (278.5)	Tom Wokasch	Buckeye (153)	Sunnyslope (148.5)
2006 4A-1	Phoenix Thunderbird (194.5)	Steve Linsacum	Phoenix Moon Valley (148.5)	Tucson Pueblo (135)
2006 4A-2	Cottonwood Mingus (221)	Tom Wokasch	Phoenix Sunnyslope (135.5)	Buckeye (125)
2005	Tucson Sunnyside (235.5)	Bobby DeBerry	Phoenix Thunderbird (180)	Cottonwood Mingus (142)
2004	Tucson Sunnyside (266.5)	Bobby DeBerry	Tucson Pueblo (173)	Mingus (102)

5A CONFERENCE

2010 5A-1	Tempe Corona del Sol (38-16)	Jim Martinez	Mesa	Bobby Williams
2010 5A-2	Tucson Sunnyside (35-24)	Bobby DeBerry	Oro Valley Ironwood Ridge	Tim Berrier
2009 5A-1	Tempe Corona del Sol (26-25)	David Vibber	Mesa	Bobby Williams
2009 5A-2	Tucson Sunnyside (54-9)	Bobby DeBerry	Oro Valley Ironwood Ridge	Tim Berrier
2008 5A-1	Mesa (35-22)	Bobby Williams	Tempe Corona del Sol	David Vibber
2008 5A-2	Tucson Sunnyside (53-13)	Bobby DeBerry	Yuma Cibola	Pepe Moreno
2007 5A-1	Mesa (26-25)	Bobby Williams	Mesa Mountain View	Bob Callison
2007 5A-2	Tucson Sunnyside (47-12)	Bobby DeBerry	Yuma Kofa	James Dillon
2006 5A-1	Mesa (38-23)	Bobby Williams	Mesa Mountain View	Shawn Rustad
2006 5A-2	Tucson Sunnyside (44-19)	Bobby DeBerry	Tempe Marcos de Niza	Jim Weed
2005	Gilbert Highland (183)	Abel Figueroa	Mesa Red Mountain (157)	Mesa Mt. View (156.5)
2004	Tempe Marcos de Niza (209)	Jim Weed	Mesa Mt. View (159.5)	Phoenix Maryvale (159)

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Marana Mountain View climbed from a 12th place finish in Division II in 2012 to a second place finish last year and they are taking aim at the state title this time around after defeating their rival Vail Cienega at sectionals 199 to 170.

The Section II tournament was held at Tucson Flowing Wells on Saturday, Feb. 7. For Mountain View, Camden Garcia won the 120-pound division, Trey Waltz won the 132-division and Tyler Werch took home the 145 medal.

Cienega standouts Jason Ayala (113) and Ronald Brown (152) won their divisions and Andrew Vera is also expected to do well at state in the 195-division for the Bobcats.

But winning isn't everything for a team to do well at state. In order to finish high, a school must have wrestlers place high enough to score and Mountain View placed in every division at sectionals except for a few of the heavier ones:

106: Javier Ortiz took second to Tucson Catalina Foothills standout Jacob Davis.

113: Andrew Cota took third.

120: Garcia defeated Johnnie Luna of Tucson Sahuaro.

126: Ryan Henkel took fourth.

132: Waltz defeated Jace Manriquez of Cienega.

138: Frankie Lee took third.

145: Werch defeated Jesus Galaviz of Maricopa.

152: Colin Hall took fourth.

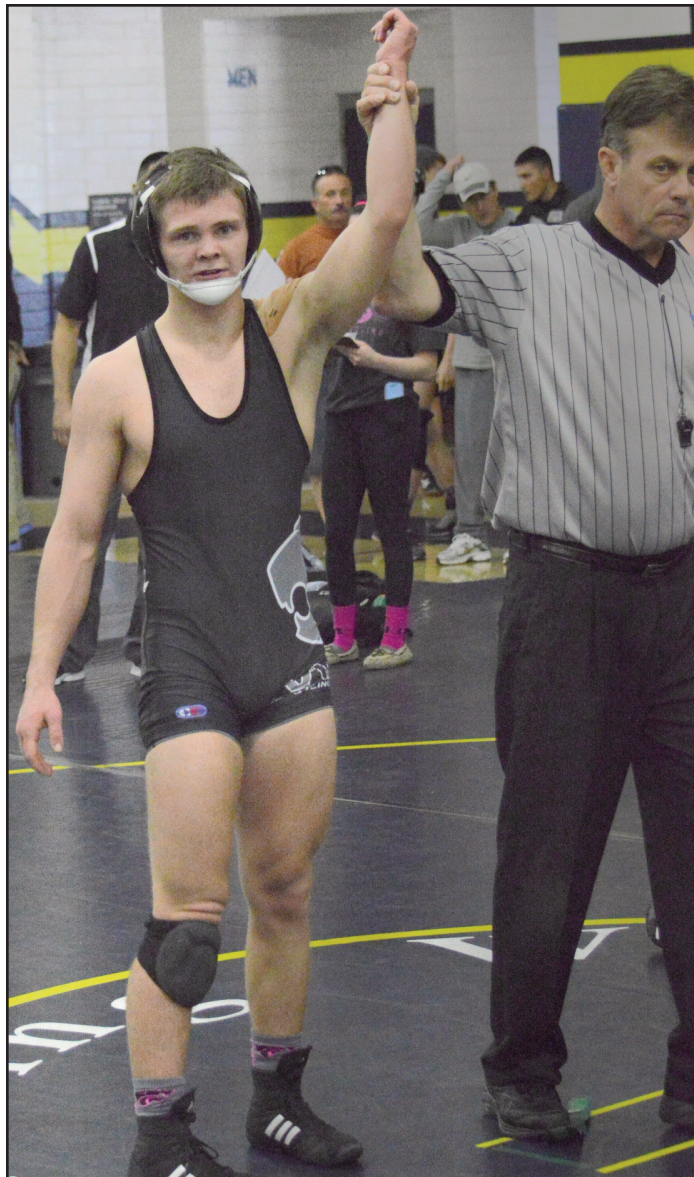
160: Quintin Jones took second to Javier Pro of Tucson Desert View.

170: Dallas Altamirano took second to Kenny Gay of Maricopa.

195: Louis Aguilar took fourth.

Werch (43-12) will be matched up against Jose Moreno (24-16) of Kingman in the first round of the state playoffs. 16 wrestlers will compete in each weight class for a shot at the state title and four straight victories is all it takes.

Garcia (38-8) is matched up against Greg Burgess (37-9) of Scottsdale Cactus Shadows and Waltz (38-7) will meet up with Corrye Jackson (28-14) of Peoria Liberty. Waltz has been chasing after Manriquez all year but finally pulled off a 3-2 decision at sectionals.



Trey Waltz (photo by Andy Morales/AZPreps365.com)

"I knew it would be a tough match with Jace but I knew I needed to wrestle tough," said Waltz. "The win felt good and will help me prepare for state where I know the competition gets tougher and any mistake can be a deciding factor. I need to be prepared for several tough matches," he added.

Waltz came in second place last year in the lower 126-division and Vera (45-5) came in second in the 195-division.

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160Heath Carroll, Camp Verde
170Jared Anderson, St. Johns
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113Quentin Hovis, Seton Catholic
120Collin Anderson, Coconino
126Gabriel Galaviz, Coconino
132Marcus Whitmore, Tempe
138Geovanni Payan-Diaz, Amphitheater
145Marcus Salnick, Amphitheater
152Jesus Barrera, Amphitheater
160Sergio Chavez, Seton Catholic
170Jace Hardy, Winslow
182Bryson Echols, Sabino
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106Josh Kramer, Verrado
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120Gabriel Galaviz, Coconino
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145Mark Lopez, Rio Rico
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182Jorge Robles, Sahuarita
195Jacob Badger, Blue Ridge
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285J.T. Bradley, Snowflake

2014 Div. II Champs

106Nathan Mendivil, Gila Ridge
113Sergio Hernandez Gomez, Glendale
120Joshua Kramer, Desert Edge
126Kyle Ford, Gila Ridge
132Luis Nunez, Cibola
138Jacob Swift, Deer Valley
145Antonio Perez, Sunrise Mountain
152Richard Florez, Marcos de Niza
160Pierre Gaud, Cibola
170Vicente Guerrero, Cibola
182Nicolas Bayless, Apollo
195Daniel Hernandez, Prescott
220Danny Reyes, Barry Goldwater
285Kyle Jividen, Sahuarito

2013 Div. II Champs

106Nathan Mendivil, Gila Ridge
113Bailey Janis, Marana Mt. View
120Austin Gerber, Gila Ridge
126Jacob Swift, Deer Valley
132Troy Vandall, Barry Goldwater
138Tate Sandifer, Ironwood Ridge
145Troy Taylor, Ironwood Ridge
152Matt Filbert, Ironwood Ridge
160TJ Gudeman, Cienega
170Hayden Moore, Queen Creek
182Austin Gaun, Flagstaff
195Scott Simmons, Ironwood Ridge
220Derek Crain, Marcos de Niza
285Kyle Jividen, Sahuarito

2014 Div. I Champs

106Danny Vega, Ironwood Ridge
113Alejandro Calderon, Maryvale
120Juaqin Olivas, Sunnyside
126William Olivas, Sunnyside
132Brett Kasprzyk, Mesa
138Ryan Gallo, Mesa Mt. View
145Blake Monty, Mesa Mt. View
152Dajour Reece, Chandler
160Ethan Tursini, Corona del Sol
170Trey Ronayne, Basha
182Jro Byrd, Boulder Creek
195Gabriel Gonzales, Sunnyside
220Lewis Arendall, Centennial
285Robert Schrock, Mesa

2013 Div. I Champs

106Jacob Reyes, Valley Vista
113Juaqin Olivas, Sunnyside
120Efren Hernandez, Carl Hayden
126William Olivas, Sunnyside
132Glenn Farina, Corona del Sol
138Dalton Brady, Chandler
145Michael Suwyn, Mountain Ridge
152Seth Monty, Mesa Mt. View
160Ethan Tursini, Corona del Sol
170Trey Ronayne, Basha
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170Austin Davis, St. Johns
182Tyler Johnson, St. Johns
195Boone Baker, Mogollon
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285Evan Barazza, Bourgade Catholic

2011 Div. IV Champs

103Joe Delgado, San Pasqual
112Rieder Nielsen, St. Johns
119Dallyn Despain, Mogollon
125Smiley Beecroft, Mogollon
130RJ Alvarado, Holbrook
135Dan Gaylor, Mogollon
140Mitchell Udall, Round Valley
145Remington Baldwin, Joseph City
152John Hatch, Holbrook
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152Ryan Kulesa, Moon Valley
160Justin Zaske, Mingus
170Patrick Dalcero, Chino Valley
182Kevin Henderson, Blue Ridge
195Dirk McOmber, Empire
220Floyd Jones, Amphitheater
285Austin Andrade, Amphitheater

2011 Div. III Champs

103Gabe Galaviz, Coconino
112Trey Andrews, Safford
119Greg Ornelas, Safford
125Sage Ornelas, Safford
130Dakota Beach, Rio Rico
135Mark Lopez, Rio Rico
140Ben Lee, Payson
145Logan Addis, Mingus
152Justin Zaske, Mingus
160Jacob Graham, Thunderbird
171Felipe Mabante, Rio Rico
189Kevin Henderson, Blue Ridge
215Matt Chavez, Mingus
285Terrence Cook, Mohave

2012 Div. II Champs

106Alvaro Gallego, Pueblo
113Bailey Janis, Marana Mt. View
120Kevin Hunt, Sunrise Mountain
126Trevor Wilson, Ironwood Ridge
132Jesse Morales, Marcos de Niza
138Brad Lindsay, Flagstaff
145Troy Taylor, Ironwood Ridge
152Matt Filbert, Ironwood Ridge
160Brennan Smith, Sunrise Mountain
170Luis Rivera, Lake Havasu
182Austin Gaun, Flagstaff
195Matt Lopez, Ironwood
220Jaimen Bennalley, Peoria
285Luke Braun, Shadow Mountain

2011 Div. II Champs

103Mikah Trejo, Moon Valley
112Dougie Cortez, Apollo
119Connor Buette, Ironwood Ridge
125Tate Sandifer, Ironwood Ridge
130Jesus Morales, Marcos de Niza
135Spencer Blondeaux, Sahuaro
140Bret Gudeman, Cienega
145Kolton Lock, Queen Creek
152Walker Slaughter, Ironwood Ridge
160Kevin Jumbeck, Gila Ridge
171Joseph Bracamonte, Cienega
189Michael Holwell, Glendale
215Louis Payne, Marana
285Luke Braun, Shadow Mountain

2012 Div. I Champs

106Tristan Moran, Chandler
113Dajour Reece, Cesar Chavez
120Dalton Brady, Chandler
126Octavio Penunuri, Mesa Mt. View
132Robbie Mathers, Desert Vista
138Robert Sobarzo, Desert Vista
145Pierre Gaud, Cibola
152Samson Imonode, Horizon
160Dorian Coleman, Mesa
170Garrett Ryan, Horizon
182Christiaan Allen, Highland
195Alex Bambic, Desert Vista
220Ben Andrew, Mesa
285Matt Zismann, Sandra Day O'Connor

2011 Div. I Champs

103Rafael James, Cibola
112Dalton Brady, Chandler
119Adam Ludwin, Cibola
125Robbie Mathers, Desert Vista
130Curt Done, Highland
135Kendall Love, Desert Vista
140Seth Monty, Mesa Mountain View
145Mikey Contreras, Boulder Creek
152Kory DeBerry, Sunnyside
160Dorian Coleman, Mesa
171Cedric Gonzalez, Sunnyside
189John Devito, Sandra Day O'Connor
215Alex Bambic, Desert Vista
285Corbin Cooke, Mesquite



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1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Bryce Crosby, Joseph City
2009 ...Ryder Nielsen, St. Johns
2008 ...Greg Delgado, San Pasqual
2007 ...Ryan Renkey, Yuma Catholic
2006 ...Dee Massey, Maricopa
2005 ...Zach Buccellato, Morenci
2004 ...Ceaser Zepeda, Maricopa
2003 ...Adrian Fierro, Maricopa
2002 ...Chris Harrison, Canyon State
2001 ...Joe Gustina, San Pasqual

3A Champions

2010 ...Trey Andrews, Safford
2009 ...Trey Andrews, Safford
2008 ...Ryah Finch, Safford
2007 ...Enrique Vigil, Winslow
2006 ...Enrique Vigil, Winslow
2005 ...Mike Moreno, Sahuarita
2004 ...Mike Moreno, Sahuarita
2003 ...Cody Biscoe, Blue Ridge
2002 ...Jason Fenn, Coolidge
2001 ...Jason Fenn, Coolidge

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Chris Bostic, Flowing Wells
2009 ...Chris Bostic, Flowing Wells
2008 ...Abraham Islas, Pueblo
2007 ...Travis Azevedo, Thunderbird
2006 ...Brandon Horton, Lake Havasu
2005 ...Johnny Lopez, Sunnyside
2004 ...Johnny Lopez, Sunnyside
2003 ...Nick Gallick, Sunnyside
2002 ...Nick Gallick, Sunnyside
2001 ...Jared Tavaschi, Mingus

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Sebastian Barrientos, Desert Edge
2009 ...Albert Alvarez, Washington
2008 ...Albert Alvarez, Washington
2007 ...Fabian Parra, Sunnyslope
2006 ...Josh Chang, Mingus

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Dalton Brady, Chandler
2009 ...Vidal Mejia, Chandler
2008 ...Sage Ornelas, Desert Vista
2007 ...Ryan Miller, Corona del Sol
2006 ...Joe Taylor, Mesa
2005 ...Anthony Robles, Mesa
2004 ...Anthony Lopez, Tolleson
2003 ...Henry Cejudo, Maryvale
2002 ...Ernesta Gastelum, Maryvale
2001 ...Alex Contreras, Westview

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Trevor Williams, Ironwood Ridge
2009 ...Frank Armenta, Marcos de Niza
2008 ...Lucio Murillo, Sunnyside
2007 ...Anthony Burmudez, Kofa
2006 ...Josiah Stotts, Marcos de Niza

Recent 112-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Ryder Nielsen, St. Johns
2009 ...Julio Saldana, San Pasqual
2008 ...Julio Saldana, San Pasqual
2007 ...Avelino Estrada, Hayden
2006 ...Zach Buccellato, Morenci
2005 ...Joe Clark, San Manuel
2004 ...Adrian Fierro, Maricopa
2003 ...T.J. Uribe, San Manuel
2002 ...David Barney, Benson
2001 ...Buddy Swapp, Duncan

3A Champions

2010 ...Greg Ornelas, Chino Valley
2009 ...Ryak Finch, Safford
2008 ...Xavier Gamboa, Safford
2007 ...Ricky Ryan, Show Low
2006 ...Nathan Abril, Safford
2005 ...O. Villa, Rio Rico
2004 ...Thomas Gaeta, Coolidge
2003 ...Jason Fenn, Coolidge
2002 ...Tyrone Humeboynewa, Hopi
2001 ...Jacob Fenn, Coolidge

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Santos Rivera, Marana
2009 ...Abraham Islas, Pueblo
2008 ...Chris Shreves, Flowing Wells
2007 ...Anthony Wagner, Independence
2006 ...Matt Long, Moon Valley
2005 ...Gabe Gomez, Tempe
2004 ...Brad Hemphill, Pinnacle
2003 ...Mike Abril, Thunderbird
2002 ...Matt Lopez, Sunnyside
2001 ...Clint McKean, Mingus

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Andrew Patino, Coronado
2009 ...John Kelly, Moon Valley
2008 ...Adrian Candelaria, Buckeye
2007 ...Luke Goettl, Mingus
2006 ...Theron Apodaca, Desert Edge

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Robbie Mathers, Desert Vista
2009 ...Chad Done, Highland
2008 ...Shane McGough, Desert Mountain
2007 ...Tony Covert, Mesa Mountain View
2006 ...Anthony Robles, Mesa
2005 ...Adrian Rios, Gilbert
2004 ...Jose Palencia, Maryvale
2003 ...David Jarmen, Mesa Mountain View
2002 ...John Espinoza, Maryvale
2001 ...David Garcia, Peoria

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...H. Rollins, Sandra Day O'Connor
2009 ...Adam Ludwin, Cibola
2008 ...Cody Abeyta, Horizon
2007 ...Ivan Felix, Kofa
2006 ...Ivan Felix, Kofa



Recent 119-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Robert Segovia, San Manuel
2009 ...Robert Segovia, San Manuel
2008 ...Avelino Estrada, Hayden
2007 ...Jared Porter, Mogollon
2006 ...Joe Clark, San Manuel
2005 ...Andy Alvarado, Phoenix Christian
2004 ...T.J. Uribe, San Manuel
2003 ...Andrew Crandell, Mogollon
2002 ...Pablo Robles, San Manuel
2001 ...Benny Corbell, Morenci

3A Champions

2010 ...Ryak Finch, Safford
2009 ...Xavier Gamboa, Snowflake
2008 ...Ricky Ryan, Show Low
2007 ...Aaron Garcia, Coolidge
2006 ...Eric Garcia, Coolidge
2005 ...Josh Wolfe, Camp Verde
2004 ...Anthony Martinez, Blue Ridge
2003 ...Frank Villaescusa, Rio Rico
2002 ...Sean Seymore, Show Low
2001 ...Cody Candelaria, Holbrook

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Justin Cullins, Cienega
2009 ...Trace Gutknecht, Cienega
2008 ...Blake Muntz, Sandra Day O'Connor
2007 ...David Islas, Pueblo
2006 ...David Islas, Pueblo
2005 ...Tyler Chang, Mingus
2004 ...Nick Gallick, Sunnyside
2003 ...Jarrod Tavasci, Mingus
2002 ...Richardo Ramirez, Sunnyside
2001 ...Eugene Garza, Sunnyside

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Zack Hall, Liberty
2009 ...Jeff Olmstead, Higley
2008 ...Ian Kelly, Page
2007 ...Josh Chang, Mingus
2006 ...Mike Armagost, Apache Junction

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Daniel Mendoza, Westwood
2009 ...Daniel Mendoza, Westwood
2008 ...Victor Montano, Mesa
2007 ...Richard Palencia, Maryvale
2006 ...Jose Palencia, Maryvale
2005 ...Jose Palencia, Maryvale
2004 ...Henry Cejudo, Maryvale
2003 ...Alex Contreras, Westview
2002 ...Fred Lux, Sahuaro
2001 ...Angel Cejuda, Maryvale

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Scott Filbert, Ironwood Ridge
2009 ...Lucio Murillo, Sunnyside
2008 ...Paul Garza, Sunnyside
2007 ...Paul Garza, Sunnyside
2006 ...Mike Moreno, Sunnyside

Recent 125-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Roman Bux, Camp Verde
2009 ...T.J. Johnson, St. Johns
2008 ...Arnold Coronado, Bourgade Catholic
2007 ...Tony Viecegli, Morenci
2006 ...Adrian Fierro, Maricopa
2005 ...T.J. Uribe, San Manuel
2004 ...Ray Morales, Morenci
2003 ...Pablo Robles, San Manuel
2002 ...Benny Corbell, Morenci
2001 ...Jesse Morales, Willcox

3A Champions

2010 ...Sage Ornelas, Safford
2009 ...Ricky Ryan, Show Low
2008 ...Aaron Garcia, Coolidge
2007 ...Eric Garcia, Coolidge
2006 ...Anthony Martinez, Blue Ridge
2005 ...Eric Romero, Safford
2004 ...Franky Villaescusa, Rio Rico
2003 ...Aaron Gibson, Snowflake
2002 ...Jesse Morales, Willcox
2001 ...Sterling Cornfield, Ganado

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Trace Gutknecht, Cienega
2009 ...Trevin Nesbitt, Pueblo
2008 ...Mike Mailloux, Saguaro
2007 ...Adam Miles, Cienega
2006 ...Steve Aragon, Moon Valley
2005 ...Nick Gallick, Sunnyside
2004 ...Luis Silva, Mingus
2003 ...Matt Lopez, Sunnyside
2002 ...Hector Daza, Sunnyside
2001 ...Nate Gallick, Sunnyside

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Brad Lindsay, Flagstaff
2009 ...Ray Camacho, Washington
2008 ...Luke Goettli, Mingus
2007 ...Cameron Alvarado, Flagstaff
2006 ...Donald Tejada, Mohave

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Nick Suwyn, Mountain Ridge
2009 ...Shane McGough, Desert Mountain
2008 ...Richard Palencia, Maryvale
2007 ...Greg Carbajal, Red Mountain
2006 ...Clint Castaneda, Cibola
2005 ...Spencer Jasper, Highland
2004 ...Zack Nicholson, Hamilton
2003 ...David Garcia, Peoria
2002 ...Angel Cejudo, Maryvale
2001 ...Josh Castro, Cibola

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Shane McGough, Desert Mountain
2009 ...Scott Filbert, Ironwood Ridge
2008 ...Mike Moreno, Sunnyside
2007 ...Steven Moreno, Sunnyside
2006 ...Tim Salazar, Barry Goldwater



Recent 130-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Dan Gaylor, Mogollon
2009 ...Lino Estrada, Hayden
2008 ...Nolan Porter, Mogollon
2007 ...Brett Justus, Camp Verde
2006 ...Brett Justus, Camp Verde
2005 ...Andrew Crandell, Mogollon
2004 ...Andrew Crandell, Mogollon
2003 ...Stephen Norton, Antelope
2002 ...Stephen Adami, San Manuel
2001 ...Mark Cruz, Hayden

3A Champions

2010 ...Ricky Ryan, Show Low
2009 ...Tyler Holyoak, Show Low
2008 ...Jon Casas, Safford
2007 ...Markos Serna, Holbrook
2006 ...Bo Mortensen, Snowflake
2005 ...Frankie Villaescusa, Rio Rico
2004 ...Garett Cupp, Camp Verde
2003 ...Sean Seymore, Show Low
2002 ...Tony Bustamante, Rio Rico
2001 ...Gordo Villaescusa, Rio Rico

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Tatum Banayat, Moon Valley
2009 ...Brandon Horton, Lake Havasu
2008 ...Steven Dominguez, Pueblo
2007 ...Zach Mainez, Thunderbird
2006 ...Mike Jablonski, Cienega
2005 ...Jose Ontiveros, Flagstaff
2004 ...Kyle DeBerry, Sunnyside
2003 ...Alex Ortiz, Desert View
2002 ...Eugene Garza, Sunnyside
2001 ...Kyle Godbehere, Sunrise Mountain

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Taylor Martin, Coconino
2009 ...Luke Goettli, Mingus
2008 ...Sean Garcia, Page
2007 ...Weston Lymangrover, Mingus
2006 ...Tyler Chang, Mingus

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Tadeo Ruelas, Brophy Prep
2009 ...Mike Hamel, Mesquite
2008 ...Blake Mabry, Highland
2007 ...Jadon Johnson, Mesa Mountain View
2006 ...Spencer Jasper, Highland
2005 ...Robert Galvan, Red Mountain
2004 ...Alex Varela, Marcos de Niza
2003 ...Alex Varela, Marcos de Niza
2002 ...Barry Johnson, Highland
2001 ...Mike Peters, Dobson

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Kyle Webb, Ironwood Ridge
2009 ...Luke McClure, Ironwood Ridge
2008 ...Gabriel Miranda, Cibola
2007 ...Mike Moreno, Sunnyside
2006 ...Blaine Blanton, Kofa

Recent 135-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Remington Baldwin, Joseph City
2009 ...Billy Padilla, St. Johns
2008 ...Jeremiah Walpert, Willcox
2007 ...Josh Wolfe, Camp Verde
2006 ...Ray Morales, Morenci
2005 ...Michael Fregoso, Bisbee
2004 ...Carlos Villa, Maricopa
2003 ...Stetson Butler, Phoenix Christian
2002 ...Banning Stephens, Mogollon
2001 ...David Henson, Pusch Ridge Christian

3A Champions

2010 ...Jake Vaught, Fountain Hills
2009 ...Jon Casas, Safford
2008 ...Markos Serna, Holbrook
2007 ...RJ Rios, Safford
2006 ...Lee Perez, Payson
2005 ...Garett Cupp, Camp Verde
2004 ...Sean Seymore, Show Low
2003 ...Jeff Tenney, Show Low
2002 ...Gordo Villaescusa, Rio Rico
2001 ...Jacob Pesqueria, Rio Rico

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Edward Zuckerman, Raymond Kellis
2009 ...Steven Lopez, Nogales
2008 ...Daniel Iribe, Copper Canyon
2007 ...Ricky Abril, Thunderbird
2006 ...Rishpal Saini, Thunderbird
2005 ...Rene Torres, Sunnyside
2004 ...Eddie Garza, Sunnyside
2003 ...Evan Tracy, Chinle
2002 ...John Hendricks, Thunderbird
2001 ...Nicky Borneman, Coconino

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Ben Gelvin, Coconino
2009 ...Sean Gracia, Page
2008 ...Josh Chang, Mingus
2007 ...Tyler Chang, Mingus
2006 ...Rod Loehr, Mingus

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Reyes Cortez, Maryvale
2009 ...Reyes Cortez, Maryvale
2008 ...Reyes Cortez, Maryvale
2007 ...Alex Meraz, Cibola
2006 ...Russell Johnson, Highland
2005 ...Ty Regan, Barry Goldwater
2004 ...Angel Cejudo, Maryvale
2003 ...Angel Cejudo, Maryvale
2002 ...Wes Pierce, Marcos de Niza
2001 ...Caleb Peters, Dobson

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Luke McClure, Ironwood Ridge
2009 ...Josiah Stotts, Marcos de Niza
2008 ...Kory DeBerry, Sunnyside
2007 ...Nathan Vorel, Sunnyside
2006 ...Blake Ortiz, Sunrise Mountain



Recent 140-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Orlando Calzadillas, Hayden
2009 ...John Martell, Benson
2008 ...Phil Bullington, Benson
2007 ...Joe Clark, San Manuel
2006 ...Boyd Scofield, Maricopa
2005 ...Carlos Villa, Maricopa
2004 ...Porter Fensel, Maricopa
2003 ...Jeff Padilla, Morenci
2002 ...Jeff Padilla, Morenci
2001 ...Wally Bray, Benson

3A Champions

2010 ...Ben Sandoval, Payson
2009 ...Jerod Flores, Parker
2008 ...Nathaniel Abril, Safford
2007 ...Nick Piedmont, Sahuarita
2006 ...Porter Wilbanks, Payson
2005 ...Sonny Seballos, Safford
2004 ...Jeff Tenney, Show Low
2003 ...Jimm Brookbank, Show Low
2002 ...Matt Garcia, Blue Ridge
2001 ...R.C. LaHaye, Payson

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Nicholas Gonzalez, Pueblo
2009 ...Daniel Sotelo, Cholla
2008 ...Mark Cutright, Pueblo
2007 ...David Leaphart, Thunderbird
2006 ...Mitch Baker, Marana
2005 ...Kyle DeBerry, Sunnyside
2004 ...Matt Lopez, Sunnyside
2003 ...Daron Benson, Thunderbird
2002 ...Ethan Hillis, Tempe
2001 ...Max Vickers, Mingus

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Luke Goettl, Mingus
2009 ...Logas Addis, Mingus
2008 ...Robby Yniguez, Page
2007 ...Travis Wokasch, Mingus
2006 ...Travis Wokasch, Mingus

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Mike Hamel, Mesquite
2009 ...Ben Carrillo, Desert Vista
2008 ...Seth Pickett, Red Mountain
2007 ...Alex Pacheco, Mesa
2006 ...Spencer Jackson, Mesa Mt. View
2005 ...Efrain Escudero, Cibola
2004 ...Eli Scoggin, Flowing Wells
2003 ...Josh Donohoo, Carl Hayden
2002 ...Marcus Garcia, Hamilton
2001 ...Tanner Montgomery, Canyon Del Oro

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Joel Rollins, Boulder Creek
2009 ...Kory DeBerry, Sunnyside
2008 ...Alexander Meraz, Cibola
2007 ...Aaron Briggs, Flowing Wells
2006 ...Rene Torres, Sunnyside

Recent 145-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Kurt Crandell, Mogollon
2009 ...Carlos Ravago, Benson
2008 ...Armand Morales, Morenci
2007 ...Joseph Wolfe, Camp Verde
2006 ...Carlos Villa, Maricopa
2005 ...Heath Allred, Thatcher
2004 ...Braden Stephens, Mogollon
2003 ...Banning Stephens, Mogollon
2002 ...Trace Porter, Mogollon
2001 ...David Jackson, Bisbee

3A Champions

2010 ...Joseph Baldonado, Blue Ridge
2009 ...Nathaniel Abril, Safford
2008 ...Cole Nelson, Blue Ridge
2007 ...Porter Willbanks, Payson
2006 ...Ryan Lague, Show Low
2005 ...Gabriel Beach, Rio Rico
2004 ...Clint Lemieux, Queen Creek
2003 ...Gabrile Montijo, Santa Cruz
2002 ...Zach Lee, Payson
2001 ...Tom Romo, Holbrook

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Kolton Lock, Queen Creek
2009 ...Matthew Arismendez, Peoria
2008 ...Adam Torres, Thunderbird
2007 ...James Eastin, Moon Valley
2006 ...Jake Peterson, Pinnacle
2005 ...Joey Crandell, Ironwood Ridge
2004 ...Zenthens Hatcher, Coconino
2003 ...Justin Wombacher, Mingus
2002 ...Eli Hillis, Tempe
2001 ...David Florez, Desert View

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Logas Addis, Mingus
2009 ...Weston Lymangrover, Mingus
2008 ...Tod Workman, Queen Creek
2007 ...Josh Wolfe, Washington
2006 ...DeWitt Copper, Rio Rico

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Edgar Verdi, Mesa
2009 ...Ryan Miller, Corona del Sol
2008 ...Tyler Jimenez, Basha
2007 ...Chris Galvan, Red Mountain
2006 ...Justin Castillo, Mesa Mountain View
2005 ...Eli Arismendez, Peoria
2004 ...Jeff Ramsey, Red Mountain
2003 ...Joey Hooker, Marcos de Niza
2002 ...Tanner Montgomery, CDO
2001 ...Mike Smith, Highland

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Kory DeBerry, Sunnyside
2009 ...Cody Leisten, Centennial
2008 ...Tyler Binkley, Sunrise Mountain
2007 ...Justin Mauser, Deer Valley
2006 ...John Ponce, Marana Mt. View



Recent 152-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Garrett Anderson, St. Johns
2009 ...Cory Graf, Benson
2008 ...Jacob Wolfe, Camp Verde
2007 ...Blake Solomon, Joseph City
2006 ...Blake Solomon, Joseph City
2005 ...Lamar Innes, Thatcher
2004 ...Bryan Lucas, Thatcher
2003 ...Chad Corbell, Morenci
2002 ...Levi Pew, St. Johns
2001 ...Nolan Martinez, Joseph City

3A Champions

2010 ...Wyatt Hatch, Snowflake
2009 ...Nick Goodman, Payson
2008 ...Mark McCarty, Payson
2007 ...Tyrell Andrews, Safford
2006 ...Justin Gaethje, Safford
2005 ...Aaron Hancock, Camp Verde
2004 ...Aaron Hancock, Camp Verde
2003 ...Zach Lee, Payson
2002 ...Nathan Lee, Payson
2001 ...Caleb Miller, Payson

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Alex Darrow, Sunrise Mountainb
2009 ...David Vallejo, Pueblo
2008 ...Max Payne, Prescott
2007 ...Adam Torres, Thunderbird
2006 ...Matt Barron, Canyon Del Oro
2005 ...Matt Lopez, Sunnyside
2004 ...Paul Vasquez, Pueblo
2003 ...Morgan Scott, Mingus
2002 ...Ramses Durazo, Sunnyside
2001 ...Tyler Linsacum, Thunderbird

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...David Wilber, Mingus
2009 ...David Wilber, Mingus
2008 ...Matt Hamilton, Mingus
2007 ...Cody Raber, Mingus
2006 ...Sam Ciurdar, Sunnyslope

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Ryan Miller, Corona del Sol
2009 ...Emilio Gonzalez, Buena
2008 ...Ryan Jimenez, Basha
2007 ...Jake Kauffman, Red Mountain
2006 ...Preston Pico, Mesa Mountain View
2005 ...Ryan Becerra, Highland
2004 ...Chris Freije, Mesa
2003 ...Steve Merchant, Desert Vista
2002 ...Alx Pavlenko, Marcos de Niza
2001 ...Jesse Udell, Red Mountain

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Manny Aranda, Sunnyside
2009 ...Pearce Swerdfeger, Deer Valley
2008 ...Sean Kane, Ironwood
2007 ...Raymond Pina, Sunnyside
2006 ...Kyle DeBerry, Sunnyside

Recent 160-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Emilio Torres, Bourgade
2009 ...Mitchell Elmer, Joseph City
2008 ...Joseph Wolfe, Camp Verde
2007 ...Heath Allred, Thatcher
2006 ...Damien Baca, Camp Verde
2005 ...Andre Franco, Morenci
2004 ...Daniel Najera, San Manuel
2003 ...Andy Brennan, Joseph City
2002 ...Ryan Baker, Mogollon
2001 ...Waldo Gutierrez, Morenci

3A Champions

2010 ...Brandt Perkins, Snowflake
2009 ...Cole Nelson, Blue Ridge
2008 ...Tyrell Andrews, Safford
2007 ...Justin Gaethje, Safford
2006 ...Billy Juarado, Safford
2005 ...Johnny Teller, Tuba City
2004 ...Travis Depper, Sahuarita
2003 ...Larry Wilbanks, Payson
2002 ...Sergio Castillo, Parker
2001 ...Will Randolph, Rio Rico

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Jesus Lizarraga, Desert View
2009 ...Jacob Graham, Thunderbird
2008 ...Darius Graham, Thunderbird
2007 ...Orson Lor, Amphi
2006 ...Dominick Anaya, Pueblo
2005 ...Paul Vasquez, Pueblo
2004 ...Larry Wilbanks, Payson
2003 ...Eli Hillis, Tempe
2002 ...Tyler Linsacum, Thunderbird
2001 ...Toribio Lujan, Sunnyside

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Jacob Graham, Thunderbird
2009 ...Evan Hillis, Tempe
2008 ...Anthony Moya, Moon Valley
2007 ...Cooper Dewitt, Rio Rico
2006 ...Austin Ramirez, Douglas

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Blake Ortiz, Corona del Sol
2009 ...Derek Felton, Corona del Sol
2008 ...Taylor Sare, Red Mountain
2007 ...Fernando Ochoa, Maryvale
2006 ...Ryan Becerra, Highland
2005 ...Jose Madraeno, Cibola
2004 ...Alex Pavlenko, Marcos de Niza
2003 ...Vince Arredondo, Marana Mt. View
2002 ...Brent Woodmansee, Desert Vista
2001 ...Lance Carlson, Dobson

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...T. Devito, Sandra Day O'Connor
2009 ...Jorge Benitez, Kofa
2008 ...Jorge Benitez, Kofa
2007 ...Kyle DeBerry, Sunnyside
2006 ...Kyle Frost, Marana Mountain View



Recent 171-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Zach Baldwin, Joseph City
2009 ...Jared Wolfe, Camp Verde
2008 ...Jared Wolfe, Camp Verde
2007 ...Damien Baca, Camp Verde
2006 ...Wes Taylor, Bisbee
2005 ...Travis Householder, Thatcher
2004 ...Andy Brennan, Joseph City
2003 ...Waldo Gutierrez, Morenci
2002 ...Waldo Gutierrez, Morenci
2001 ...Ryan Baker, Mogollon

3A Champions

2010 ...JP Adams, San Tan Foothills
2009 ...Trent Kay, Blue Ridge
2008 ...Andrew Ashford, Safford
2007 ...Andrew Ashford, Safford
2006 ...Manny Jarado, Safford
2005 ...Travis Depper, Sahuarita
2004 ...Kendall Bryant, Snowflake
2003 ...Nate Lee, Payson
2002 ...Ty Nichols, Snowflake
2001 ...Rocky Beery, Payson

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Trace Bowman, Queen Creek
2009 ...Max Payne, Prescott
2008 ...Adam Carey, Saguaro
2007 ...Robert Lopez, Pueblo
2006 ...Diego Bencomo, Independence
2005 ...Nathan Lee, Payson
2004 ...Nathan Lee, Payson
2003 ...Andres Delgadillo, Sinagua
2002 ...David Ybarra, Douglas
2001 ...Tanner Linsacum, Thunderbird

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Chris Roberts, Cholla
2009 ...Jake Goddard, Queen Creek
2008 ...Zoar Morales, Catalina
2007 ...Trey Nahrgang, Buckeye
2006 ...Reece Roder, Mingus

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Derek Felton, Corona del Sol
2009 ...Daniel Covert, Highland
2008 ...Colton Kiernan, Desert Vista
2007 ...Zach Wadsworth, Mesa
2006 ...Conner Stockton, Mesa Mt. View
2005 ...Cory Hale, Corona del Sol
2004 ...Jose Cortez, Maryvale
2003 ...Ricky Renzi, Marcos de Niza
2002 ...Edgar Garcia, Cibola
2001 ...Troy Powell, Highland

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Stephen Lynch, Boulder Creek
2009 ...Kelvin Gastelum, Cibola
2008 ...Raymond Pina, Sunnyside
2007 ...Jerry Ochoa, Sunnyside
2006 ...Patrick Carey, Marcos de Niza

Recent 189-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Mark Mabry, Benson
2009 ...Mark Mabry, Benson
2008 ...Damien Baca, Camp Verde
2007 ...Rocky Gingg, Phoenix Christian
2006 ...Cameron Carter, Willcox
2005 ...Andy Brennan, Joseph City
2004 ...Jake Heun, Maricopa
2003 ...Joe Vargas, Morenci
2002 ...Casey Woodall, Morenci
2001 ...Casey Woodall, Morenci

3A Champions

2010 ...Adrian Perkins, Blue Ridge
2009 ...Terel Nichols, Snowflake
2008 ...Mike Guerrero, Eloy Santa Cruz
2007 ...Mike Guerrero, Eloy Santa Cruz
2006 ...Mike Guerrero, Eloy Santa Cruz
2005 ...Demetri Baca, Camp Verde
2004 ...Trennon Judd, Show Low
2003 ...John Nunley, Safford
2002 ...Matt Reimer, River Valley
2001 ...Matt Reimer, River Valley

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Wes Moore, Queen Creek
2009 ...Johnnny Cordova, Prescott
2008 ...Diego Bencomo, Independence
2007 ...Diego Bencomo, Independence
2006 ...Mack Surrell, Thunderbird
2005 ...Thor Moen, Coconino
2004 ...Ruben Quintana, Sunnyside
2003 ...Drew Martinez, Greenway
2002 ...Jacob Chagolla, Sunrise Mountain
2001 ...David Coronado, Sunnyside

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Jaime Gastelum, Buckeye
2009 ...Richard Breese, Coronado
2008 ...Joey Loehr, Mingus
2007 ...David Hollis, Queen Creek
2006 ...David Hollis, Queen Creek

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Sam Fulton, Corona del Sol
2009 ...Zion Golladay, Mesa
2008 ...Phil Donofrio, Desert Vista
2007 ...Andy Jay, Mesa
2006 ...Luke Macchiaroli, Corona del Sol
2005 ...Alberto Montes, Mesa
2004 ...Nathan Sare, Red Mountain
2003 ...Quinton Pruett, Desert Vista
2002 ...Bryan Di Palermo, Canyon Del Oro
2001 ...James Steinprei, Highland

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Dylan Yole, Marcos de Niza
2009 ...Anthony Pike, Sunnyside
2008 ...Justin Wilmas, Kofa
2007 ...Jim Klingensmith, Marcos de Niza
2006 ...Mario Monteverde, Flowing Wells



Recent 215-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Chris Copplinger, Joseph City
2009 ...Nick Waterford, Yuma Catholic
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2007 ...Victor Contreras, Bisbee
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2005 ...Andrew Thompson, Phx Christian
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3A Champions

2010 ...Marcus Manyfield, Safford
2009 ...Steel Armstrong, Blue Ridge
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2007 ...Derrick Gonzales, Coolidge
2006 ...Kevin Wilkinson, Estrella Foothills
2005 ...Deci Hernandez, Camp Verde
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2001 ...Brad Lee, Round Valley

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Brandon Dudley, Apache Junction
2009 ...Jake Jarvis, Prescott
2008 ...Dominic Jones, Independence
2007 ...Mack Surrell, Thunderbird
2006 ...Lonnie Brunson, Sahuaro
2005 ...Dexter Davis, Thunderbird
2004 ...Dexter Davis, Thunderbird
2003 ...Ellery Tarazon, Tempe
2002 ...Andrew Luckenbill, Greenway
2001 ...Anthony Rodriguez, Sunnyside

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Jason Birchfield, Thunderbird
2009 ...Ramon Duarte, Rio Rico
2008 ...Kelland Brookover, Buckeye
2007 ...Clint Gladden, Buckeye
2006 ...Luciano Gonzales, Douglas

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Jake Smith, Basha
2009 ...Luke Macchiaroli, Corona del Sol
2008 ...Luke Macchiaroli, Corona del Sol
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5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Diego Bravo, Sunnyside
2009 ...Aaron Pavlenko, Marcos de Niza
2008 ...Eric Reichart, Ironwood Ridge
2007 ...Jared Miller, Marana Mountain View
2006 ...Marcus Rodriguez, Peoria

Recent 285-Pound State Champions

1A/2A Champions

2010 ...Johnny Salcido, Antelope
2009 ...RK Rockhill, Willcox
2008 ...RK Rockhill, Willcox
2007 ...Beau Tudor, Camp Verde
2006 ...Chris Gonzalez, Morenci
2005 ...Ben Smith, Phoenix Christian
2004 ...Ben Smith, Phoenix Christian
2003 ...Ronaldo Herreras, Benson
2002 ...Damon Freeland, Valley
2001 ...Ronaldo Herreras, Benson

3A Champions

2010 ...Aaron Dawson, Safford
2009 ...Aaron Dawson, Safford
2008 ...Dwight Boyd, Blue Ridge
2007 ...Justin Felix, Safford
2006 ...Brian Postma, Parker
2005 ...Stetson Tenny, Show Low
2004 ...Chet Huelskamp, Globe
2003 ...Chet Huelskamp, Globe
2002 ...Scott Croff, Show Low
2001 ...Sean Poole, Parker

4A-1/4A Champions

2010 ...Vi Teofilo, Moon Valley
2009 ...Doug Zisman, Shadow Mountain
2008 ...Tim Harlen, Apache Junction
2007 ...Jose Sanchez, Independence
2006 ...J.D. Hanley, Greenway
2005 ...James Paisano, Mingus
2004 ...Sean Sierra, Desert View
2003 ...Jaime Martinez, Sunnyside
2002 ...Mikel Brewer, Centennial
2001 ...Joe Riggs, Cactus

4A-2 Champions

2010 ...Ricky Valdez, Rio Rico
2009 ...Ricky Valdez, Rio Rico
2008 ...Brandon Draper, Moon Valley
2007 ...Zack Tourangeau, Apache Junction
2006 ...Matt Guyer, Mohave

5A-1/5A Champions

2010 ...Tevin Hood, Hamilton
2009 ...Mike Howard, Corona del Sol
2008 ...Trevor Stapp, Corona del Sol
2007 ...Trevor Stapp, Corona del Sol
2006 ...Andrew Chavez, Cesar Chavez
2005 ...David Bertrand, Horizon
2004 ...Ben Schoonover, Mesquite
2003 ...Kyle Taylor, Sahuaro
2002 ...Chris Donnay, Mountain Pointe
2001 ...Cain Velasquez, Kofa

5A-2 Champions

2010 ...Tyler Davison, Desert Mountain
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Pictured left to right are Brandon Konecny, Quentin Hovis, Sergio Chavez and Vincent Dolce (photo by Roxanne Taylor).

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Competitiveness is ingrained in wrestlers, on and off the mat.

Look no further than Seton Catholic's wrestlers for proof. The Sentinels sometimes brag about their high grades as much as their wrestling triumphs before practice.

But they are also encouraged to do so. Coach Eric Larkin wants 4.0 GPAs as much as he wants pins.

"We are building a wrestling group at Seton that goes far beyond the wrestling," Larkin said. "We want to do the same thing with our schoolwork and grades."

This year's wrestling group might meet the high standard that Larkin expects.

Larkin, a former national wrestling champ at Arizona State and two-time state champ at Sunnyside, is in his third season at the Chandler high school. His program fin-

ished 28th at state in his first season, in the top-10 last year, a first for Seton, and is one of the favorites to win the D-III title this week.

To win Seton's first title, Larkin wants to see his five state qualifiers reach their individual title matches.

"My whole philosophy is that no matter where you are ranked or seeded, you plan on taking first," Larkin said.

It's a formidable task to accomplish considering that two of Seton's state qualifiers were injured this year and haven't wrestled much this season.

And one of those injured kids, Jacob Garcia, broke both his elbows and has screws in each elbow. But he's still considered one of the higher wrestlers in his weight class (108).

Garcia's timing has been off, but Larkin expects his freshman to regain his "swagger" during practice.

The other Sentinel who has recovered is Brandon Konecny, a strong 154-pound wrestler who suffered an injury about midway through the season. He's got about 13 matches under his belt, but he pinned everybody during the sectional meet.

Konecny, a sophomore, finished fifth at state last year and is seeded second in this week's D-III state meet, which concludes on Friday (Feb. 13) at the Prescott Valley Events Center. Nothing or nobody will likely slow down Seton's Quentin Hovis and Sergio Chavez at state.

The returning state champs haven't lost to in-state wrestlers in their weight divisions this season. Hovis, a sophomore, is always looking to be challenged and did so this year when he sought competition outside his 138-weight division, where he lost his only matches this season.

His tenaciousness, strength and unorthodox wrestling style make Hovis tough to take down. Chavez, a senior, won his title at 160 but is going after the 170 crown this season. The real quick Chavez made the rounds nationally this year and started getting looks by colleges. His 1-0 loss to California's No. 2 at 170, Colt Doyle of Poway High School, was a highlight this year.

Sophomore Vincent Dolce is seeded 4th in his state class (120) and is arguably the hardest working wrestler in Seton Catholic's wrestling program. He finished second at state last year, and is the other wrestler Larkin expects to see in the finals.

Larkin and his boys will head to Prescott with big goals and a couple of capable assistants, Jack Cardinal and Kellan Fluckiger. Cardinal and Fluckiger have done their part to help bolster Seton's wrestling program, Larkin said.

"If we get all five guys in the finals, it's possible we can win it all if everything goes right," Larkin said.



Camp Verde celebrates after winning its 2015 Sectional Meet (photo by Tracy Tutor).

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The final chance to see one of the more imposing wrestling forces compete in high school arrives this week.

Camp Verde's Ryan Allred, the clear favorite at 152 in Division IV, is gunning for his 4th state championship, but he's not the only must-watch wrestler on his team. Camp Verde, the two-time defending state team champ, is well-armed for another run after 13 of its wrestlers qualified for state, which starts Thursday (Feb. 12) and concludes Friday at the Prescott Valley Events Center.

"He's a physical specimen," said Camp Verde coach Tracy Tudor about Allred. "He obliterates the competition."

If he wins state, Allred will become the first four-time state champ for Camp Verde, which has won five team state championships.

Allred's success rate is high, having lost only one high school match in his career, and helping him remain a fixture at the top of the award podiums is Allred's A-team, dad Larry and Camp Verde coach Mario Chagolla. Larry, a Camp Verde assistant, is "super dedicated," and Chagolla, Allred's "sensei," is a well-known name in the Arizona wrestling community.

Camp Verde, a winner in every dual meet this year except for its showdown with Sunnyside, hasn't missed a beat under its new coach, Tudor. Tudor has been with Camp Verde for 10 years and took over after Camp Verde's wrestling architect, Bob Weir, stepped down after last season.

Tudor isn't the only influential voice Camp Verde hears, how-

ever. Besides Chagolla, Larry and Tudor, the team's "brotherhood" of coaches also includes Jim Bowser and Travis Black.

"Coaching is much more rewarding than anything I've ever done," said Tudor, a retired military member. "Seeing kids heading in the wrong direction and being able to coach them not just to state but in life and seeing them succeed in life, nothing beats that. They are family forever."

Tudor's kids this year are talented, particularly in the lower weight classes, with Skyler Pike (106), Hayden Uhler (113), Alex Casillas (120), Ezequiel Casillas (126), Matt Mejia (132), Allred and Jeremy McEachern (175).

Allred is the best wrestler in his weight class regardless of division, and McEachern can also make that case also. Uhler, Mejia and Alex, a two-time state champ, also have been crowned state champions in the past.

Also helping Camp Verde stay in championship form are the kids who play other sports such as football players Curtis Corder (195), heavyweight Jesus and his brother Jose Curiel (160), and Brett Worth (220). There's also been a couple of surprises for Camp Verde, including sophomore David Perez (145), who took second at sectionals, and junior Kyle Little (138), who just started wrestling this season.

Camp Verde carries the cast of characters to help them walk away with another title, but there's also another component that is guiding the team this season — its faith.

"We give it all to our Lord Jesus Christ," Tudor said. "We are a brotherhood because of our faith. Our faith is our foundation. We are nothing without it."

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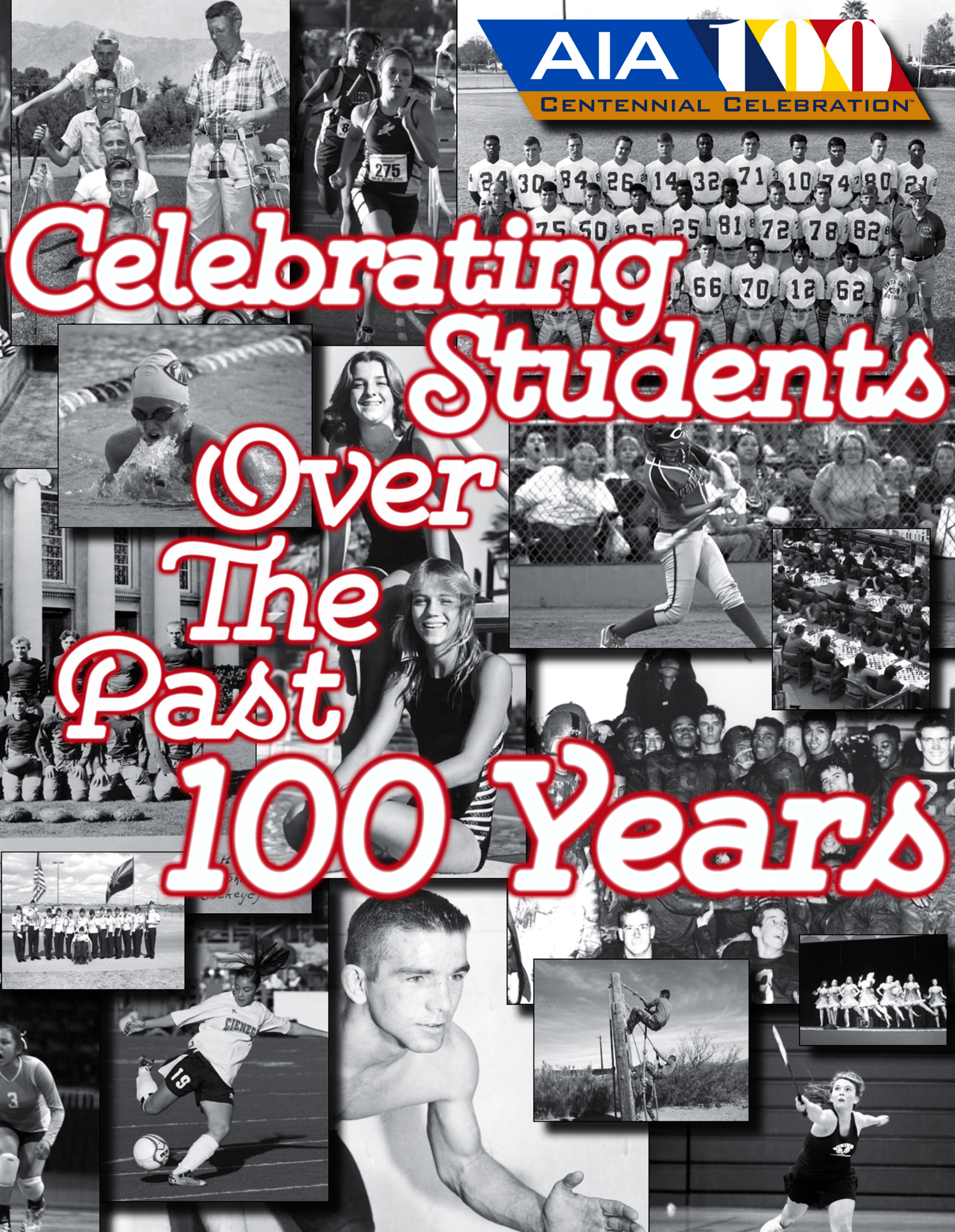


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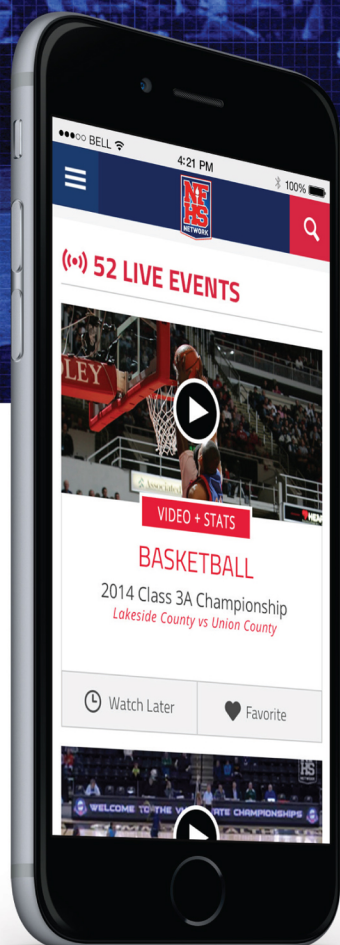
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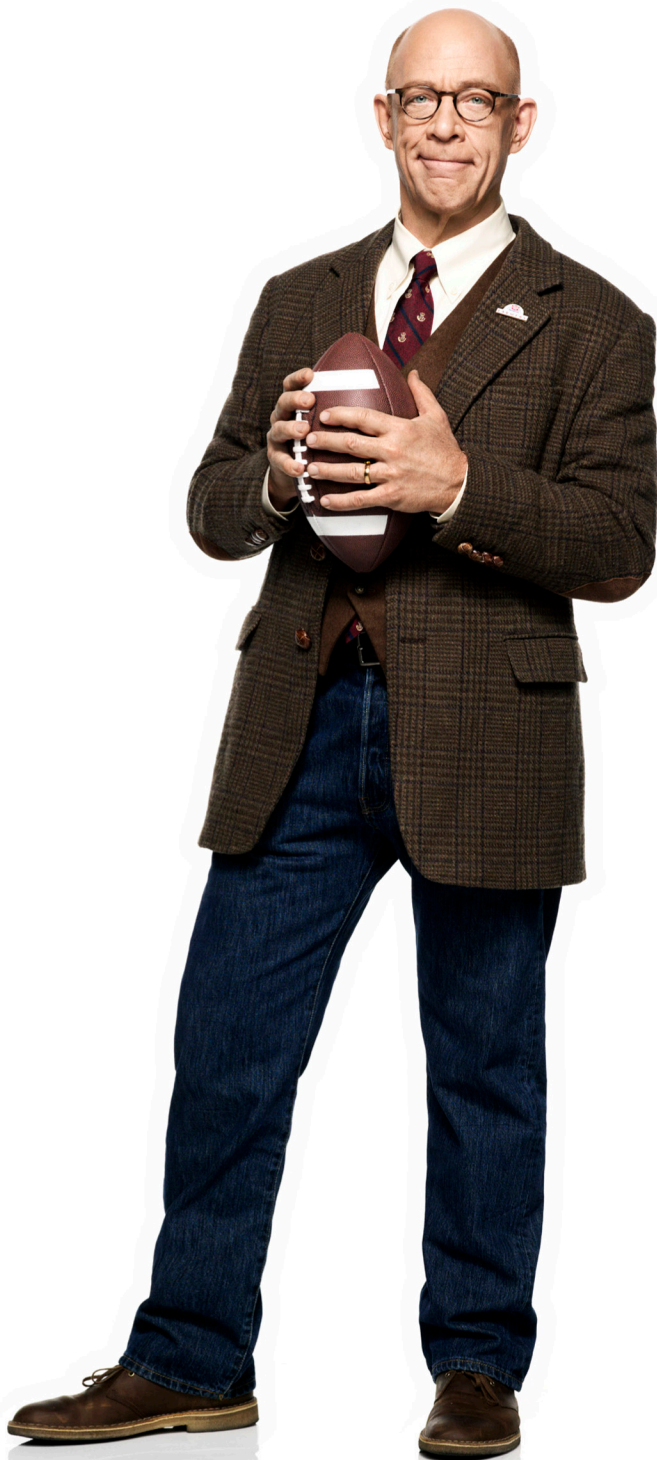
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